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CHARLESTON, IL--Nominations for honorary degrees from Eastern Illinois University for the 1984-85 academic year are currently being sought.

"We are looking for nominations of worthy individuals from alumni, faculty, staff, students and friends of the University," said Dr. Daniel E. Thornburgh, chair, Honorary Degree Committee, and Department of Journalism chair.

Nomination forms are available from the Alumni office in Old Main and the Journalism office in Buzzard Building.

Deadline for nominations for next year's recipients is 4 p.m., Friday, March 23. Forms and supporting materials should be turned into Dr. Thornburgh's office by that date.

Recipients of honorary degrees for the current academic year will be awarded at the afternoon commencement on May 12.

The committee will make its recommendations for 1984-85 to Dr. Stanley Rives, Eastern's president, by April 30. The final selections will be presented to the Board of Governors in June.

Other members of the Honorary Degree Committee are:  
Dr. Virginia Vogel, Home Economics; Dr. Walter Sorge, Art; Dr. Bill Ridgeway, Zoology; Dr. Sandra Byrd, Accounting & Finance; Dr. Wolfgang Schlauch, History; Prof. Jeffrey Lynch, English; and Mr. Charles Titus, Alumni Services.